

CLAIMS

1. A swimming device for testing a lure (12) to be used in rod-fishing, **characterized** in that the swimming device comprises two substantially parallel pipe-like means, a flow pipe (1) and testing pipe (2), which are arranged in a substantially horizontal position and connected together by connection means (3, 4) arranged preferably at both ends of the pipes, and there are stilling basins (9, 10) immediately next to the connection means, and that a control means (6) maintaining the flow of a fluid (5) led into the swimming device is arranged in one pipe-like means, for testing the lure (12) lowered into the swimming device through a lure tower (13) extending from the testing pipe and connected thereto, in a fluid flow generated in the testing pipe.
2. A swimming device as claimed in claim 1, **characterized** in that the testing pipe (2) is at least partly transparent.
3. A swimming device as claimed in claim 1 or 2, **characterized** in that the control means (6) is a propeller.
4. A swimming device as claimed in any one of the preceding claims, **characterized** in that the control means (6) is arranged in the flow pipe (1).
5. A swimming device as claimed in any one of the preceding claims, **characterized** in that the flow pipe (1) has control lamellas (8) in the longitudinal direction of the device to prevent swirling in the fluid flow.
6. A swimming device as claimed in any one of the preceding claims, **characterized** in that the testing pipe (2) is arranged to the side of the flow pipe (1) in such a manner that the connection means comprise flow ports (16, 17) in the casing of the flow pipe.
7. A swimming device as claimed in any one of the preceding claims, **characterized** in that the flow pipe (1) is arranged to be longer than the testing pipe (2) and to have stilling basins (9, 10) at both ends.
8. A swimming device as claimed in any one of claims 4 to 7, **characterized** in that at least the stilling basin (9) on the side of the direction of fluid flow caused by the control means (6) has protrusions (11) to reduce the swirling movement of the fluid (5).
9. A swimming device as claimed in claim 8, **characterized** in that the protrusions (11) are concentric.

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10. A swimming device as claimed in any one of the preceding claims, **characterized** in that a discharge opening (21) connecting the lure tower (13) and the testing pipe (2) is arranged in the flow direction of the fluid (5) to be at least partly separate from the flow port (16) between the
5 testing pipe and the flow pipe (1).

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